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FM AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1124

INFO AMEMBASSY OUAGADOUGOU

AMEMBASSY NIAMEY

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SUBJ: PROJ. NO. 625-12-310-705, FADA N'GOURMA ROAD STUDY:
LYON ASSOC CONTRACT NO REDSO/WA-C-74-5.

REF: (A) WEDEMAN/TRAYLOR OCT 1 LETTER (AID COMMENTS ON
DRAFT FINAL REPORT);

(B) STATE 253924 NOVEMBER 20, (NOTAL);

(C) STATE 210961 SEPTEMBER 2,4 (NOTAL).

1. IF, AS INDICATED IN REF (B) LYON EXPECTS TO COMPLETE
THEIR REPORT BY END NOVEMBER REDSO/WA FEELS IT WOULD NOT
BE WORTH THE EXPENSE AND TIME FOR THE DISCUSSION IN
ABIDJAN PROPOSED BY LYON PER REF (B), UNLESS THEY HAVE
STRONG OBJECTIONS TO INCLUDING ANY OF THE SUGGESTED
REVISIONS IN REDSO/WA COMMENTS CONTAINED IN REF (A).
IF HOWEVER, LOAN FUNDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT
IS UNDER SERIOUS CONSIDERATION THERE IS, CLEARLY, A NEED
FOR CONSIDERABLE FURTHER STUDY TO BE DONE WHICH WOULD
MEAN REVAMPING OF WORK ALREADY DONE AND POSSIBLY
COLLECTION ADDITIONAL DATE, IN WHICH CASE ANY MAJOR
EXPENDITURE OF EFFORT IN DISCUSSING THE PRESENT LYON'S
REPORT APPEARS REDUNDANT AND LIKELY TO RESULT IN
UNNECESSARY DELAY.

2. REDSO/WA WISHES TO CALL ATTENTION TO THE DEOBLI-
GATION OF \$31,000 IN MAY 1974(REF C) LEAVING A
BALANCE ON SEPT 24, 1974 OF \$20,000 IN THE GRANT,
THEREBY LIMITING ANY ADDITIONAL EFFORT BY THE
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CONTRACTOR ON THE REPORT BEYOND THE SCOPE OF THE

PRESENT CONTRACT.

3. REQUEST CABLE RESPONSES BE SENT TO ABIDJAN WITH
INFO TO OUAGADOUGOU AND NIAMEY. DIAMANTI

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